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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Koren EUGEN and
Reichlin MORRIS

Serial No.: 09/768, 155

Filed: January 23, 2001

For: METHOD AND TREATMENT OF SLE

Group Art Unit: 1644

Examiner: Ronald B. Schwadron

Atty. Dkt. No.: OMRP:049US/SLH

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO
OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 11, 2004**

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of two months to and including November 11, 2001 in which to respond to the Office Action dated June 11, 2004.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, a check in the amount of \$215.00 is enclosed, which is the process fee (\$215.00) for a two-month extension of time.

If the check is inadvertently omitted, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R.

§§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, or should an

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overpayment be included herein, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct or credit said fees from or to Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. Account No.: 50-1212/OMRF:049US/SLH.

Respectfully submitted,



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